

ATIC's and AID's Suggested List of Periodicals to be Removed from "Abstracting Agreement on Scientific and Technical Periodicals"

ATIC suggests that the following periodicals be removed from the list of the 54 presently being abstracted by ATIC:

1. Foundry Practice
2. Automobile and Tractor Industry
3. Mechanization of Construction
4. Mechanization of Difficult and Heavy Work

Suggestion is made because very little S & T info of value has been obtained so far from the issues of these periodicals abstracted.

Abstracts received by ATIC to date on the following periodicals (abstracting agency indicated) have been of little or no value to ATIC.

Journal of Microbiology, Epidemiology and Immunobiology - May 54, (FDD)

Physiological Journal, USSR Mar/Apr 54 (FDD)

Veterinary Medicine - (FDD) Herald of Roentgenology and Radiology Jan 54 (FDD)

Symposium of Materials on New Techniques and Progressive Experience in Construction (AID)

ATIC suggest consideration be given in subscribing to Soviet journals that are completely translated by commercial agencies. At the present time the following are available through the Consultants Bureau, N.Y., N.Y.:

a. The Journal of Analytical Chemistry of the USSR	Presently abstracted by ATIC	Subscription \$80 per year
b. Bulletin of the Academy of Sciences of the USSR, Division of Chemical Sciences	Presently abstracted by ATIC	Subscription \$80 per year
c. Journal of General Chemistry of the USSR	Presently abstracted by ATIC	Subscription \$95 per year
d. The Journal of Applied Chemistry of the USSR	Presently abstracted by AID	Subscription \$80 per year
e. Colloid Journal	At present not on the abstracting list	Subscription \$80 per year

ATIC has no suggestions for substituting other periodicals for any of the above at the present time. When the review of all aspects of the abstracting program is accomplished, ATIC will have substitute titles to propose. ATIC is not presently able to assume additional abstracting responsibility.

AID recommends that the following title be dropped:

Sbornik Materialov o Novoy Tekhnike
i Peredovom Opyte v Stroitel'stvo
Symposium of Materials on New
Techniques and Progressive Experience
in Construction

And that the following title be substituted:

Stroitel'naya Promyshlennost'
Construction Industry

AID recommends that consideration be given to the exploitation of Kryl'ya Rodiny (Wings of the Nation) on a more selective basis. Experience during the past four months indicates that only a very few number of articles would seem to provide information of sufficient intelligence value to justify abstracting. If other users concur in this judgment, AID would then exploit those articles of real merit on a selective basis.

AID recommends that criticisms be invited from all users based upon their experience to date with this joint exploitation program for scientific and technical journals. It is also recommended that consideration be given by all concerned as to the desirability of a more selective approach to a greater number of periodicals as opposed to the present cover to cover approach to a limited number of titles.